IS AGAIN CHOSEN OVER HIS PROTEST

Mr. Christian Signally Honored by Members of T. P. A. Last Night.

MANY VISITORS TO THE CITY

Campaign on to Secure One Hundred Members Within Next Fifteen Days.

Over his earnest protest, and amid the most flattering demonstrations of approval, Post A, of the Travelers Protective Association, last night reelected Mr. R. S. Christian president, and he finally accepted the office for

and he finally accepted the office for another term.

Mr. Christian had just read his annual report, which reviewed the work of the year and showed the post to be in spiendid condition. In closing this he stated that for business reacts he would be unable to serve again if elected, and asked that the post choose another to preside over its deliberations. But Mr. Christian has made a most acceptable officer, and the post has prospered and grown under his administration to such an extent that the members had no idea of letting him off with a single term.

The Officers

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When all the annual reports had been read and adopted, Mr. W. K. Bache, chairman of the nominating committee, recommended the following officers, all of whom were unanimously etected:

President, R. S. Christian. First Vice-President, H. L. Val-

Second Vice-President, R. M. Smith,
Secretary and Treasurer, H. L.
Harwood,
COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN,
Railroad Committee, Peyton

Giles.
Fress Committee, R. B. Walthall,
Hotel Committee, E. H. Clowes.
Legislative Committee, W. T.
Reed.
Membership Committee, John C.
Mangan.

Hagan.
Employment Committee, M. C. Sick and Relief Committee, J. T.

Sick and Relief Committee, J. T.
Montgomery.
Chaplain, Rev. J. J. Gravatt.
Physician and Surgeon, Dr. D.
Mende Mann.
BOARD OF DIRECTORS.
W. K. Bache, B. H. EllingtonHeary G. Ellett, S. J. Allen, E. B.
Sydnor, Richard Gwathmey, Hampton Fleming.

Wouldn't Excuse Him.

Mombers cheered as each name was read, and harmony and enthusiasm marked the entire proceedings.

President Christian tried to decline, but Colonel Harwood got him off his feet with a point of order, and as he resumed his seat he surrendered and said:

said:
"I thank you, gentlemen, for this renewal of your confidence, and for your indorsement of my administration. I will do the best I can,"
All the reports were of a most encouraging nature. They showed that the post had accomplished a great deal of good work within the past year, and of good work within the past year, and that it has materially increased its

It now has upon its rolls 714 ac-

the traveling men, and new members are constantly coming in.

Chairman E. H. Clowes, of the hotel committee, reported that he and Mr. C. Walton Saunders had personally seen the hotel men in Norfolk and secured a very satisfactory rate for the delegates to the National Convention which meets in that city July 17th-23d. Proprietors Thanked.

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The following resolution, offered by Colonel John S. Harwood and Mr. W. J. Bache, was unanimously adopted:
"That the report of the special hotel committee, consisting of Messrs. E. H. Clowes and C. Walton Saunders, be unanimously adopted, and the following letter be sent to the hotels:

"That a vote of thanks of Post A and Virginia Division be tendered the hotel proprietors and managers of the hotels of Norfolk for the uniform courtesy extended our hotel committee, and for the satisfactory rates and excellent accommodations prepared for the national delegates to our convention, which meets in Norfolk, Va., June 17, 1907."

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Button

or

Side Lace

STOP WYMAN AND CONSIDER

First, that almost every operation in our hospitals, performed upon women, becomes necessary because of neglect of such symptoms as Backache, Irregularities, Displace-ments, Pain in the Side, Dragging Sensations, Dizziness and Sleepless-noss.

ness.

Second, that Lydia E. Pinkham's
Vegetable Compound, made from
native roots and herbs, has cured
more cases of female ills than any
other one medicine known, "It regulates, strengthens and restores women's health and is invaluable in
preparing women for child-birth and during the period of Change
of Life.

of Life.

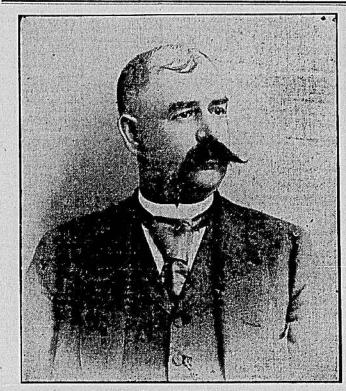
Third, the great volume of unsolicited and grateful testimonials on fle at the Pinkham Laboratory at Lynn, Mass. many of which are from time to time being published by special permission, give absolute evidence of the value of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Mrs.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

For more than 30 years has been curing Female Complaints, such as Dragging Sensations, Weak Back, Falling and Displacements, Inflammation and Ulceration, and Organic Diseases, and it dissolves and average Truncas and Assolves. and expels Tumors at an early stage.

Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation to Women

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to write Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass, for advice. She is the Mrs. Pinkham who has been advising sick women free of charge for more than twenty years, and before that she assisted her mother-in-law, Lydia E. Pinkham in advising. Thus she is especially well qualified to guide sick women back to health. Write today, don't wait until too late.



R. S. CH RISTIAN, President of Post A, T. P. A.

gates to the State convention, which will meet shortly in Alexandria:
Messrs, R. S. Christian, E. H. Clowes, W. K. Bache, H. Ellis, Jr., R. W. Spilman, M. C. Raymond, H. Lee Lorralne, Hampton Fleming, John S. Harwood, M. S. Valentine, The Mangham, M. C. Raymond, H. Lee Lorralne, Hampton Fleming, John S. Harwood, M. S. Valentine, E. D. Quarles, S. J. Alen Joseph Wallerstein, R. L. Winston, R. E. Alport, J. L. Hill, W. H. Brown, George W. Rogers, T. P. Giles, T. W. Sydnor, W. C. Bentiey, R. E. Van Laer, M. A. Chambers, T. B. Johnson, C. L. Brown, C. B. Cary, Paul D. Howell, H. B. Randolph, C. D. Coleman, G. E. Gregory, J. H. B. Peay, D. L. Sutherland, E. C. Pelouze, C. W. Saunders, A. B. Clarke, A. W. Goddin, Paul Heindl, R. L. Mayes, B. H. Ellington, C. R. Guy, P. L. Conquest, Horace Christian, S. W. Richardson, P. P. Lipscomb, W. W. Webb, R. R. Walthall, Clarence Sydnor, S. L. Manson, P. D. Overton.

The post is entitled to seventy-two delegates, and the rest will be appointed by the president and board of directors.

A resolution was adopted to request the national convention to Join the National Freight Service Association.

To Fight for Prize.

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Mr. C. W. Saunders, chairman of the State membership committee, and one of the most active members of the post, stated that if Post A secured 100 members in the next fifteen days the State would capture the Texas horns, the national prize, which goes each year to the State making the largest rath in membership.

gain in membership.

On this suggestion the post requested Mr. John C. Hagan, the newlywhich meets in Norfolk, Va., June 17, 1907."

Delegates Elected.

The post elected the following dele-

\$2.50 Welts

A saving of 50c

guaranteed. \$3

values elsewhere,

Attractive Offer for This Week

Special offer for the week of \$3.00 Pats and Gun Metal

Oxords. We make our own lasts, and these at \$2.50 special, are a true copy of \$3.50 and \$4.00 bench-made shoes.

Tans and Brown Kid

Another shipment just received and on display-by far

Pink, blue, white and red, Childreren's Button Shoes, made

95c Wonder Table Monday Only

Come early, take a look, buy if you think it worthy, and tell your friends quick. Values up to \$2,00. Monday only.

"Hofheimer's Shoes Are Better"

311 East Eroad Street

of soft canvas and kid, stylish and durable.

each, to make a thorough canvass of the city in the next fifteen days for 100 new members. The post will ap-propriate a sufficient amount to honor the squads with a complimentary din-ner at such place as they may so-lect. On the call of the president, twenty-five members offered their ser-vices, and each pledged to secure at lease one new member. Mr. Hagen lease one new member. lease one new member. Mr. Haga will select the teams early this week and the campaign will start at once

Want Them Here.

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To induce the many as possible of the 3,000 visitors who will attend the national convention at Norfolk in June to Richmond the following resolution, offered by Mr. Joseph Wallerstein, was unanimously adopted:

"That the secretary of the post address a letter to the secretary of each State division, inviting their delegates and friends to the national convention to visit Richmond after the convention, and to make their headquarters at Post A's home during their stay in this city.

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"2d. That the board of directors be requested to make arrangements to see that they are properly entertained during their stay in our midst.
"3d. That the chairman of the

hotel committee be requested to secure special hotel rates for them in this city, and they be announced in the national convention meet-

A number of other matters of inter-est to the traveling men were disposed of, and the meeting was one of the largest and most successful in the history of the post.

REVIVAL TO BEGIN.

Special Services to Be Held at Grace-Street Church.

A series of evangelistic meetings will be held at the Grace Street Baptist Church, at Foushee and Grace Streets, commencing this morning at 11 o'clock, and continuing, with daily services each evening this week, and until further no-tice.

tice.

Rev. C. S. Gardner, D. D., the pastor, will conduct the meeting, and a specially trained chorus choir of from sixty to seventy voices will have charge of the music. The meeting has been carefully prepared for during the past week, and, in fact, was decided upon by vote of the congregation last Sunday. It will no doubt meet with a large attendance.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS TO HAVE CELEBRATION

Members of Order Will Gather Here from All Parts of

Virginia. Virginia,

Officers of the Richmond Council of the Knights of Columbus have been notified that Mr. Edward P. McDevitt, master of the fourth degree for Maryland, the District of Columbia and Virginia, will make an official visit to Richmond on May 30th. There will no doubt be a grand exemplification of the fourth degree on that date. The degree team, under the direction of State Deputy Francis P. Sheehy, of Washington, D. C., will have charge of the secret work on this occasion. It is said that hundreds of members of the order will gather in Richmond, coming from all parts of Virginia.

Standard Oil Defense. CHICAGO, April 6.—Attorney Miller for the Standard Oil Company took up the time of the trial of that company to-day with his argument against the charge that the company "wilfully and knowing-ly" accepted an lilegal rate on oil ship-

WILL SING DURING REVIVAL



MRS. MARY WILLIE PATTEE. Noted singer of St. Louis, who will sing for one week at the Bainbridge Street Baptist Church, in Manchester, beginning to-day.

NEWS GATHERED FROM SOUTHSIDE

Warm Political Fight on in the First and Third Wards.

BOY DIES FROM INJURIES

Clear Water Plant to Undergo Final Tests This Week.

Manchester Bureau, Times-Dispatch, No. 1102 Hull Street.

matter of the appointments to mater of the appointments to be made in the Second and Third Wards to fill vacancies in the City Assembly. The fight in the First Ward promises to be one of the most spirited ever seen in the city. Messrs. G. W. Reams and Waverly Nunnally, have announced their candidacy. Both of these gentlemen are popular, and the contest will undoubtedly be a most aggressive one, although it will be done rather on the quiet, since the recommendation of the ward delegation will land the place.

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Mr. C. C. Jones, who is now in the
Assembly from the First Ward, has not Assembly from the First Ward, has not as yet left the city. He will go as soon as he is relieved as yardmaster for the Atlantic Coast Line Railway, and his resignation as a member of the Council will follow shortly.

The delegation from the Third Ward have about decided upon Mr. Oscar L. Godwin, as their choice of a successor to Mr. C. C. Cox, decased. Mr. Godwin, it is believed, will make an excellent member of the Assembly.

bly. Mr. J. S. Wakefield, former president of the City Assembly and member from First Ward, was mentioned prominently for the place, but he is prominently for the place, but he is not eligible. The law requires that any one who resigns from public office must wait twelve months before he can again accept any political honor. Mr. Wakefield would undoubtedly have been Mr. Cox's successor had it not been for this barrier.

Death Due to Runaway. From the effects of injuries sustained in a runaway accident Edgar A. Hill, son of Mr. W. A. Hill, of near Branch's Church, Chesterfield county, morning in the residence of his father.

dence of his father.

The boy was driving on Friday afternoon, with his father, behind a double team. One of the animals was a colt, and in some way the bridle slipped off, and the young horse became frightened and ran. The vehicle struck a telegraph pole and was

Humphreys' Seventy-Seven Cures Colds and

things about Grip. It may come between the shoulder blades, extend through to the chest, or shoot down to the Kidneys and take the form of Lumbago and lame you so that you cannot walk, stand or lie still. The backache of Grip spoils your disposition, makes you a bugbear to family and friends.

The use of "Seventy-seven" for the preliminary Cold stops the Grip and prevents Pneumonia. "77" fits the vest pocket.

At Druggists, 25 cents or mailed, Humphreys' Homeo, Medicine Co., Humphreys' Homeo, Medicine Co., Cor, Wil-

where their wounds were dressed, Both Dr. Ruckers were called, and on investigation they found that the boy's leg was broken. The bone was set, and young Hill and his father were removed to their home in the

were removed to their home in the county.

The father regained consciousness, but the boy never rallied, and on further investigation the physicians discovered that his skull had been fractured. A clot of blood was found to be on his brain. He died at 2:30 o'clock yesterday morning.

The funeral will take place from Branch's Church to-day at 3 o'clock. The boy is survived by his father, mother and several brothers and sisters.

Mrs. Pattee to Sing.

Mrs. Mary Willie Pattee, one of the most famous soprano singers of St. Louis, will sing for one week at the Bainbridge Street Baptist Church, beginning to-day. Mrs. Pattee has a voice of great richnoss and volume, and she has studied under some of the most noted vocalists. She will and she has studied under some of the most noted vocalists. She will sing in connection with the revival services which are now being conducted by the pastor, assisted by Rev. Dr. J. W. Porter. The meetings will continue through the ontire week, with services daily at 4 P. M. and 8 P. M. A large chorus choir has been organized, and the stirring gospel songs add much to the interest of every service. Rev. Dr. Porter preaches with great power and effectiveness. At

ized, and the stirring gospel songs add much to the interest of every service. Rev. Dr. Porter preaches with great power and effectiveness. At Newport News, where he is pastor, he has built up a great congregation, largely composed of men.

The first quarterly meeting of the Manchester Methodist Sunday School Union will be held this afternoon at Fifth Street Methodist Episcopal Church at 3 o'clock. Mr. L. J. McIntosh, State secretary, will speak on Sunday school work. Mr. McIntosh is an inspiring and forcible speaker. All Sunday school teachers and others will do well to be present.

Rev. J. W. Kincheloe will occupy the pulpit of Stockion Street Baptist Clurch at both services to-day, and will continue the service through the week at night.

In Honor of Mrs. Tench.

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An entertainment was given in the home of Mt. and Mrs. Fred. Mitchell, on Bainbridge Street, on Friday night in Eunor of Mrs. Herbert Tench, of Petersburg. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Tench, of Petersburg. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Tench, of Petersburg. Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Mitchell. Mr. and Mrs. George Vaughan, Misses Lucy Vaughan, Vivian Tench, Grace Blount, Ruth Vaughan, Tench, Grace Blount, Ruth Vaughan, Daisy Walton, Lottie Blount, Kate Vaughan, Bertie White, Sadie Vaughan, Maggie White, Mr. Leonard Jerry, John Dickman, George Vaughan, George Emmet, James Mitchell, Walter Dickman and James Snyder. The program was interspersed with music, both vocal and instrumental, which was greatly enjoyed by all present, and after which all repaired to the dining-room, where ices and refreshments were served.

To Sell Valuable Property. In Honor of Mrs. Tench,

To Sell Valuable Property. Mosers Augustine Royall & Co. will sell at public auction on Thursday the handsome residence of Mrs. W. L. Moody, at Fifteenth and Porter Streets. The house is one of the best built structures in the city.

Mrs. Moody is to retire from house-keeping on account of her hea'th.

Funeral of Mrs. Crostic. The funeral of Mrs. Crostic.
The funeral of Mrs. W. G. Crostic,
who died at her home in Swansboro on
Friday, will take place this afternoon
at 3 o'clock from West End Methodist
Episcopal Church. The interment will
be made in Maury Cemetery.

Personals and Briefs. Mr. Frank S. Anderson is in Battl-more, where he has gone to attend a special session of a Masonic lodge, Mr. T. O. Balley has returned from Henderson, N. C., where he has been

for some time.

John B. Taylor, colored, was arrested last night on the charge of being drunk. He will answer to the Mayor or Monday.

drunk. He will answer to the Mayor on Monday.

The material for the changes to be made at the clear water plant has arrived, and the sinal test will be commenced during the coming week.

Mrs. M. Lacy Parker, of Itomoke, who has been visiting Mrs. Ernest Weisiger, has returned home.

Mrs. N. S. Markham, of 813 Everett Street, is at Mosley's Junction, where she is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. A. Moseley.

Miss Maria Harris, of Cowardin Ave-

PERUNA EDITORIAL NO. 4.

The modern patent medicine business is the natural outgrowth of the old-

time household remedies. In the early history of this country, EVERY FAMILY HAD ITS HOME MADE MEDICINES. Herb teas, bitters, laxatives and tonics, were to be found in almost every house, compounded by the housewife, sometimes assisted by the apothecary or the family doctor. Such remedies as piera, which was aloes and quassia, dissolved in apple brandy. Sometimes a hop tonic, made

Old-Time Family Medicines.

of whisky, hops and bitter barks. A score or more of popular, homemade remedies were thus compounded, the formulae for which were passed along from house to house, sometimes written, sometimes verbally communicated. The patent medicine business is a natural outgrowth from this wholesome

usefulness of one of these homemade remedies, would take it up, improve it in many ways, manufacture it on a large scale, advertise it mainly through almanacs for the home, and thus it would become used over a large area. LATTERLY, THE HOUSEHOLD REMEDY BUSINESS TOOK A MORE EXACT AND SCIENTIFIC FORM. Peruna was originally one of these old-time remedies. It was used by the Mennonites, in Pennsylvania, before it was offered to the public for sale. Dr Hartman, THE ORIGINAL COMPOUNDER OF PERUNA, is of Mennonite

old-time custom. In the beginning, some enterprising doctor, impressed by the

origin. First, he prescribed it for his neighbors and his patients. The sale of it increased, and at last he established a manufactory and furnished it to the general drug trade. The history of Peruna is also the history of many other well-known pat-

ent medicines to-day. Furnishing medicinal compounds direct to the people through the druggists, is simply the extension of the practice begun by the people themselves. The patent medicine industry is A TREMENDOUS SAVING for the people. It enables the householder to purchase a useful remedy, together with direc-

tions and other medical advice, at a cost far below the average price of a doc-

Patent Medicines a Great Saving to the People.

tor's visit. Like the shoe factory, the wagon factory, and the clothing factory, it lowers the price at the same time it perfects the product. The patent medicine business enables families far removed from doctors, to avail themselves of the medical advice of specialists, and to profit by their favorite prescriptions. All this is brought to the home for a small fraction of the

amount it would otherwise cost the people.

NATURALLY THIS INDUSTRY HAS ITS OPPONENTS. The fact that the people can, for chronic diseases and petty acute ailments, save themselves the expense of calling a physician by purchasing a well-tried home remedy, put up under the personal direction of some experienced doctor, and that they can do this at a great deal less expense than to employ the local doctor cuts out a large slice from the income of the medical profession generally, BUT IS AN IMMENSE SAVING TO THE PEOPLE.

Thus it comes to pass that the people are almost unanimously in favor of patent medicines. On the other hand, the medical profession is quite generally opposed to the sale of them. There are doctors, however, who believe that the people are entitled to the privilege of economizing and profiting by the sale of these compounds.

This is why Dr. Hartman has compounded and sold to the people, through

the drug trade the family remedy, Peruna. To destroy the patent medicine industry in this country is to deprive millions of homes of the privilege of using these well-tried remedies, and subject them to the expense of calling a physician for every minor ailment. Much has already been done at the instigation of the medical profession to HARASS THE PATENT MEDICINE INDUSTRY. Doubtless much more will be done from this same direction. But we believe that the people will understand and maintain their rights in this matter, and Peruna will continue as a useful and

all-round household remedy. Peruna is a household remedy of great merit, and is useful in a great many climatic ailments, such as coughs, colds, sore throat, bronchitis, and catarrhal diseases generally. THOUSANDS OF FAMILIES HAVE LEARNED THE USE OF PERUNA and its value in the treatment of these ailments. They have learned to trust and believe in Dr. Hartman's judgment, and to rely on his remedy, Peruna.

Mrs. Williamson, of Keysville, is the guest of her son, Junius Williamson, at 1506 McDonough Street.

Mrs. Katie C. Markham, of Manchester, is quite ill in the home of her son, Otto Markham, in Fulton. On yesterday she was stricken with paralysis.

sis.
Little Blanche Hawks, the daughter of Mrs., A. B. Hawks, of 216 East Thirteenth Street, is quite sith.
Frank White, colored, was before the Mayor yesterdy morning, charged with fast riding on Decatur Street. He paid \$5 and costs.
Welford Finnery and Jim Matthews.

Melford Finnery and Jim Matthews, both colored were up for fighting. They each paid 22.50 and costs. Thomas Jones, colored, a witness in the case, refused to tell the truth and the Mayor taxed him \$2.50 for that.

DELMAS WILL

relations of the defense toward the lungey commission. All of next week with the utmost confidence.

Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, since the menace of weary weeks of waiting involved in Mr. Jerome's threat to seek the appellate division has vanished is cheerful again, as is the prisoner. She visits Thaw in the Tombs daily and spends as long a time there as

TO TAKE ACTION

Will Meet To-Morrow Night to Pass Final Judgment on Management.

State Librarian John P. Kennedy and the meeting of the Library Board which night, and it is probable that some of them will not be retained. It is practically certain that the board will act finally in the matter at this meeting, as the members are in possession of all the facts which it is possible for them to get on the subject. They have studied the evidence taken by the legislative investigating committee, and have held an inpapers in both cases have been in their

papers in both cases have seen in their hands for several weeks, and they will come here to-morrow night ready to render a verdict.

From the first the members of the board have been exceedingly reticent concerning the whole library situation, and when they talked at all for publication they put their interviews in the form of official statements, given out by the entire board. The situation has been complicated from the start, and nearly every time either the legislative committee or the board met some new entanglement arose.

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WOMAN KILLED.

Heavy Rock from Blast Falls on Her Cabin, Crushing Her, [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

EDEPERD CITY, April 6.—Mary Pullen, a worthy colored woman, was instantly killed Friday afternoon in her home near Lowry, by a large piece of rock being thrown upon her house from the explosion of a blast for the construction camp of Navo, near Lowry. The woman, all unconscious of danger, having become accustomed to the frequent explosions that have been in progress in that locality for many months, was attending her accustomed duties, when the loud explosion was heard, and the huge stone came hurting through the air and descended upon the house, fell upon her and caused instantaneous death.

A coroner's jury was summoned and rendered a verdict acording to these facts.



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